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Subject: The Washington Update



Clean air agencies,

Super Bowl LV is coming up next month, and if you ask me, the teams playing will be the Kansas City Chiefs and the Green Bay Packers. Why? It's got nothing to do with Aaron Rodgers and Patrick Mahomes – my prediction's based on the fact that I like seeing history repeat itself, and 55 years ago today those were the teams that faced off at Superbowl I, played in Los Angeles. A lot's changed about the game since then: getting in to the stadium cost \$12 (tickets to this year's game can run a half a million dollars); a 30 second TV ad cost \$37,500 (about 150 times less than the \$5.6 million it costs today); and the 1967 halftime show was a low key affair featured marching bands from Arizona State and Grambling University and the drill team from Anaheim High School. Back then, the Packers beat KC in a final score of 35-10, so I guess we'll just have to see whether history plans to repeat itself after all!

In this week's *Washington Update*:

- Biden Nominates Former NACAA Member Janet McCabe to Be EPA Deputy Administrator
- EPA Establishes Significance Threshold for Regulating GHG Emissions from All Source Categories Under CAA Section 111 and Finalizes "Significant Contribution" Finding for Electric Generating Units
- DOJ Puts Additional Limits on Environmental Settlements
- Petitioners Challenging "SAFE" Rule Part 2 File Opening Briefs
- EPA Defends Methane Rescission Rule in D.C. Circuit Brief
- Environmental Groups File Lawsuit Targeting "Science Transparency" Rule
- Seventeen States and a Local Jurisdiction Sue EPA over Final Decision to Retain "Insufficient" PM NAAQS

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- Thirteen States Challenge EPA's Final Aircraft GHG Rule
- D.C. Circuit Declines to Stay Portions of Oil and Gas NSPS Reconsideration Rule
- EPA Solicits Applications for 2021 DERA Grants; Sets March 16 Submittal Deadline
- EPA Issues Toxics Release Inventory Information for 2019
- EPA Publishes Final Rule Adopting GHG Emission Standards for Aircraft; No Environmental Benefits Will Result
- Survey Finds Mixed Progress on ACE Rule Implementation
- EPA Proposes to Approve Petition to Remove Portion of Maine from Ozone Transport Region
- Researchers Conclude Wildfire Smoke Responsible for as Much as Half of PM_{2.5} in Western U.S.
- National Academies Recommend Actions to Reduce Lead Emissions from Piston-Engine Aircraft
- EPA Issues Final Amendments to NSPS for Volatile Organic Liquid Storage Vessels
- EPA Proposes Revisions to Municipal Solid Waste Landfills Air Toxics Rule
- EPA Proposes Multiple Risk and Technology Review Standards

We're taking a brief break from linking congressional and virtual events for the week ahead - next week, the NACAA headquarters will be closed Monday 1/18 in observance of the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. holiday, and Wednesday 1/20 for the Presidential Inauguration. You'll find more NACAA events ahead on [AirWeb](#)!

Here's NACAA's *Washington Update*:

<http://www.4cleanair.org/sites/default/files/files/documents/WashingtonUpdate-2021-01-15.pdf>

Until next week,

Wishing you well, Miles

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